DISTRICT New Fairfield

PROGRAM NAME Gifted and Talented Program

GRADES SERVED 3-8

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DESCRIPTION

New Fairfield School District has a broad-based gifted and talented program that includes a variety of enrichment opportunities for high ability students.

At various grade levels students participate in Discovery Den Resource Room, Odyssey of the Mind, Johns Hopkins Talent Search, Georgraphy Bee, Future Problem Solvers, Math Olympiads, Spelling Bees and Fox News for Kids.

The Gifted and Talented Consultant works under the direction of the Assistant Superintendent and the Building Principals as a member of the Teaching and Learning Team. The gifted and talented consultant provides on-going, on-site assistance to teachers in grades 3-8, who are differentiating instruction for gifted students. S/he serves as advisor to all identified gifted and talented students. S/he acts as an information resource to partents, teachers, students, and parents, administrators on out-of-district resources and programs available to gifted students.